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UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA EVENTS

MONDAY, NOV. 23, THROUGH MONDAY, DEC. 7, 2009

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MISSOULA—

Monday, Nov. 23

Basketball: UM at Oregon – 7 p.m., Eugene, Ore. Start times local to site of game.
Information: <http://www.montanagrizzlies.com>.

Lillian Reichert, piano – 7:30 p.m., Music Recital Hall. Student Recital Series. Free and open to the public. Information: UM School of Music, 406-243-6880, griz.music@umontana.edu.

Tuesday, Nov. 24

"By the People, For the People: New Deal Prints from the 1930s and 1940s" – Montana Museum of Art & Culture, Paxson Gallery. Features 31 New Deal prints created as part of economic recovery programs to pull the country out of the Great Depression. The New Deal art projects represent the largest public art program of their kind in American history, generating energy and excitement when the country was in despair. At MMAC through Dec. 19. Gallery hours: 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday; 4-8:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday. Information: 406-243-2019, <http://www.umt.edu/montanamuseum>.

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Montana Model United Nations Conference – University Center. Information: 406-243-2105, <http://www.cas.umt.edu/mun>.

Bitterroot College Program Steering Committee Meeting – 2 p.m., Ravalli

Entrepreneurship Center, 274 Old Corvallis Road Hamilton. Open to the public. Meeting Agenda: <http://www.umt.edu/bcp>, 406-375-0100, victoria.clark@umontana.edu.

Basketball: Lady Griz vs. Denver – 7 p.m., Dahlberg Arena. Information: <http://www.montanagrizzlies.com>.

Wednesday, Nov. 25

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Thanksgiving Vacation Begins – No classes Wednesday-Friday, Nov. 25-27.

Thursday, Nov. 26

Holiday: Thanksgiving – UM office closed. No classes.

Friday, Nov. 27

Holiday: Thanksgiving – UM office closed. No classes.

Volleyball: Big Sky Conference Tournament – Information: <http://www.montanagrizzlies.com>.

Basketball: Lady Griz at Loyola Marymount Tournament – Los Angeles, Calif. Information: <http://www.montanagrizzlies.com>.

Day after Thanksgiving Family Movies – noon-1:30 p.m., The Roxy Theater, 718 S. Higgins, Missoula. Award-winning films for all ages: "Riddle in a Bottle" and "The Loneliest Animals." Cost: \$3 at the door. Information: IWFF, 406-728-9380, iwff@wildlifefilms.org, <http://www.wildlifefilms.org>.

Gingerbread Houses and Book Signing: Janice Mineer – 1:30 p.m., Fact & Fiction, 220

N. Higgins, Missoula. Free and open to the public. Mineer will sign copies of "Gingerbread from the Heart." Information: Fact and Fiction, 406-721-2881, factandfiction@montanabookstore.com, <http://www.factandfictionbooks.com>.

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Football: NCAA FCS First-Round Games – Information: <http://www.montanagrizzlies.com>.

Sunday, Nov. 29

Basketball: UM at Washington – 6 p.m., Seattle, Wash. Start time local to site of game. Information: <http://www.montanagrizzlies.com>.

Handel's "Messiah" – 7:30 p.m., University Theatre. The fundraiser for Habitat for Humanity of Missoula brings together professional soloists, a 30-piece orchestra and a community choir of about 100 members for the hourlong performance. No charge for admission, but donations will be accepted at the door. Luis Millán, conductor. Soloists: Ann Basinski, soprano; Kimberly Gratland James, mezzo-soprano; Steven Aadland, tenor; and Stephen Kalm, baritone. Information: UM Adjunct Assistant Professor Nancy Cooper, 406-243-2080, nancy.cooper@umontana.edu.

Monday, Nov. 30

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Leadership Summit – 6 p.m., University Center Theater. The town hall-style summit is designed to welcome student voices and feedback regarding leadership opportunities at UM. Free pizza and door prizes. Hosted by the University Center and the Center for Leadership Development. Co-sponsored by the UC Multicultural Alliance and the UM Greek Life Office. Information: Molly Collins, 406-243-5754, molly.collins@mso.umt.edu.

Avalanche Awareness Lecture – 7 p.m., North Underground Lecture Hall. One-hour introduction or refresher to avalanche safety and the avalanche phenomenon. Free and open to the public. Information: UM Outdoor Program, 406-243-5172, campusrec@mso.umt.edu, <http://life.umt.edu/CREC>.

"Hamlet" – 7:30 p.m., Montana Theatre. UM School of Theatre & Dance production. Performances at 7:30 p.m. Dec. 1-5 and Dec. 8-12. Matinee performances at 2 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 5, and Saturday, Dec. 12. Cost: \$18 general public; \$14 seniors and students; \$8 children 12 and under. Tickets and information: Theatre & Dance Box Office, PAR/TV Center, 406-243-4581, <http://www.umtheatredance.org>.

Fall Percussion Concert – 7:30 p.m., University Theatre. \$10 general public; \$5 students/seniors. Information: UM School of Music, 406-243-6880, griz.music@umontana.edu.

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"The Moral Hazards of Geoengineering" – 12:10-1 p.m., University Center Room 330. Presenter: Associate Professor Christopher Preston, Fellow at the UM Center for Ethics, and Associate Professor Dane Scott, Center for Ethics director. Free and open to the public. Information: UM Center for Ethics, 406-243-6605, <http://www.umt.edu/ethics/>.

Ecology Seminar Series – 4:10-5 p.m., Interdisciplinary Sciences Building Room 110. "Getting caught in peculiar positions: Variation in the mechanisms of monogamy." Free and open to the public. Presenter: Steve Phelps, University of Florida. Information: Jeanne Franz, 406-243-5292, jeanne.franz@cfc.umt.edu.

ASUM Senate Meeting – 6 p.m., University Center Room 330-331. Information: <http://www.umt.edu/asum>.

Thursday, Dec. 3

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Red Cross Blood Drive – 10 a.m.-4 p.m., University Center, Third Floor. Hosted by the UM Advocates. Schedule appointments online at <http://www.givelife.org> (enter sponsor code "gogriz") or by calling one of the numbers below. Walk-ins are welcome. Positive ID is required to donate blood. Remember to eat a complete meal and drink plenty of water before donating blood. For eligibility questions: 800-737-0902. Information: UM Advocates or American Red Cross, 406-243-5874; 406-543-6695, <http://www.givelife.org>.

Book Signing: Tom Rau – 4 p.m., Fact & Fiction, The Bookstore at UM. Free and open to the public. Rau will sign copies of "The Crow's Philosophy." Information: 406-243-1234.

Opening Reception: "Specimens" – 5-7 p.m., University Center Art Gallery, UC Room 227. Free and open to the public. Information: Samantha Guenthner, gallery director, 406-243-4991, ucartgallery@mso.umt.edu.

Peace and Justice Film Series: "Everything is Cool" – 7 p.m., University Center Theater. Free and open to the public. Information: <http://www.peaceandjusticefilms.org>.

Missoula Symphony Orchestra – 7:30 p.m., University Theatre. Tickets and information: 406-721-3194, <http://www.missoulasympphony.org>.

Courtney Mostad, soprano, and Joselyn Thomsen, mezzo-soprano – 7:30 p.m., Music Recital Hall. Student Recital Series. Free and open to the public. Information: UM School of

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Book Signing: Father Jim Hogan – 5-7 p.m., Fact & Fiction, 220 N. Higgins, Missoula. Free and open to the public. Hogan will sign copies of "Yes We Are!" Information: 406-721-2881, factandfiction@montanabookstore.com, <http://www.factandfictionbooks.com>.

Wildlife Ball Benefit – 6-10 p.m., Hilton Garden Inn. A benefit for the International Wildlife Media Center's Montana Film Academy youth, scholarship, after-school and in-school programs and the annual International Wildlife Film Festival. Cost: \$50 person; \$400 for a sponsored table for 8. For tickets and more information, call or e-mail IWFF. Information: International Wildlife Film Festival & Media Center, 406-728-9380, iwff@wildlifefilms.org, <http://www.wildlifefilms.org>.

Reading: Peter Orner – 7 p.m., Turner Hall, Dell Brown Room. Award-winning fiction

and nonfiction author. Free and open to the public. Information: UM Creative Writing Program, 406-243-5267, karin.schalm@mso.umt.edu, http://www.cas.umt.edu/english/creative_writing/readingseries.html.

Basketball: UM vs. Northern Arizona – 7 p.m., Dahlberg Arena. Information: <http://www.montanagrizzlies.com>.

Symphonic Wind Ensemble, UM Concert Band, Grizzly Marching Band – 7:30 p.m., University Theatre. \$10 general public; \$5 students/seniors. Information: UM School of Music, 406-243-6880, griz.music@umontana.edu.

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Football: NCAA FCS Quarterfinals – Information: <http://www.montanagrizzlies.com>.

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Book Signing: Heidi Anderson – 11 a.m.-1 p.m., Fact & Fiction, 220 N. Higgins, Missoula. Free and open to the public. Anderson will sign copies of "Goodnight Tiny Mouse." Information: 406-721-2881, factandfiction@montanabookstore.com, <http://www.factandfictionbooks.com>.

Family Holiday Movies – 1-5 p.m., Roxy Theater, 718 S. Higgins, Missoula. Free and

open to the public. Information: Leslie Wustrack, 406-728-9380, leslie@wildlifefilms.org, <http://www.wildlifefilms.org>.

Book Signing: Bipin Patel – 1-3 p.m., Fact & Fiction, 220 N. Higgins, Missoula. Free and open to the public. Patel will sign copies of "Tipu's Tiger Recipe Book." Information: 406-721-2881, factandfiction@montanabookstore.com, <http://www.factandfictionbooks.com>.

Book Signing: Ana Greer – 2-4 p.m., Fact & Fiction, 220 N. Higgins, Missoula. Free and open to the public. Greer will sign copies of "Just Perfect." Information: 406-721-2881, factandfiction@montanabookstore.com, <http://www.factandfictionbooks.com>.

Basketball: UM vs. Northern Colorado – 7 p.m., Dahlberg Arena. Information: <http://www.montanagrizzlies.com>.

Sunday, Dec. 6

Book signing: Doris Pulis – 1-3 p.m., Fact & Fiction, 220 N. Higgins, Missoula. Free and open to the public. Pulis will sign copies of "How It Looks Going Back." Information: 406-721-2881, factandfiction@montanabookstore.com, <http://www.factandfictionbooks.com>.

Basketball: Lady Griz vs. Great Falls – 2 p.m., Dahlberg Arena. Information: <http://www.montanagrizzlies.com>.

Missoula Symphony Orchestra – 3 p.m., University Theatre. Tickets and information: 406-721-3194, <http://www.missoulasympphony.org>.

Vienna Experience Benefit Concert – 7:30 p.m., Music Recital Hall. \$20 general; \$10 students. Information: UM School of Music, 406-243-6880, griz.music@umontana.edu.

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"Iraqi Politics on the Eve of the Election: Prospects for Obama's Disengagement" – 3:10-4:30 p.m., Gallagher Business Building Room 123. Seminar presented by Juan R.I. Cole, Richard P. Mitchell Collegiate Professor of History at the University of Michigan. Free and open to the public. An event of the President's Lecture Series at UM. Information: UM Professor Richard Drake, 406-243-2981, richard.drake@umontana.edu, <http://www.umt.edu/president/lectures>.

UM Guitar Ensemble Recital – 7:30 p.m., Music Building Room 218. Free and open to the public. Information: UM School of Music, 406-243-6880, griz.music@umontana.edu.

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UM Guitar Ensemble Recital – 7:30 p.m., Music Building Room 218. Free and open to the public. Information: UM School of Music, 406-243-6880, griz.music@umontana.edu.

University Choir and Chamber Choir – 7:30 p.m., University Theatre. \$15 general public; \$10 students/seniors. Information: UM School of Music, 406-243-6880, griz.music@umontana.edu.

"Engaging the Muslim World" – 8 p.m., University Center Ballroom. Presenter: Juan R.I. Cole, Richard P. Mitchell Collegiate Professor of History, University of Michigan. Free and open to the public. An event of the President's Lecture Series at UM. Information: UM Professor Richard Drake, 406-243-2981, richard.drake@umontana.edu, <http://www.umt.edu/president/lectures>.

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